## LOCAL NEWS.

stockholder should attend this meeting.

There was a little fellow who went

By order of Directors.

Toot, toot, toot!
He had a little name, it was
Lute, Lute!
He said he wanted money. It was
Gold, gold;
But he learned at last, poor fellow, he was,
Sold, sold, sold! -Contributed.

Welcome 1896.

Den't write it "1895." Make your resolutions to-day.

The Old year is out and the New is

M. J. Lane drove up from Kiowa last

Cash paid for hides at the Central Meat Market.

The usual New Year resolutious will be made today.

When you buy flour, see Woodward It will be to your interest. An immense line of choice dry goods

just received at Woodward's. The best \$3 pants in the city at Woodwards. Go and see them.

Sample copies of the Farm Record can be had by calling at this office.

Conn-Is what we want. Highest market price paid at Glasier & Co's. Wm. and Lydia Dobbs and Miss Cole

returned to their home at Oxford, Mon-F. A. Lewis and son, Ed., went to Wichita on Sunday and returned yes-

terday.

Mr. Taylor ranks as an orator among the best in the country.-Whitewater

Register, (Wis.) R. H. Clay is wintering a lot of cattle on the old Lockard ranch for J. D.

Jones, of Kiowa. The holiday ball given at the opera house last night, was well attended and is reported a success.

Uncle Billie Mills came up from Texas on Tuesday of last week and remained until last Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Matthews and children went to Spivey last Friday where Mr. Matthews is holding his sheep.

Rev. Cain closed his series of school house on Monday night. H. N. Burner is prepared to winter

100 or 150 head of cattle. Call on or address him at Medicine Lodge.

you are now paying for inferior ones.

The only Christmas wedding in the Drug Co. county was that of George Smith and

Kiowa. "That Boy of Yours" ought to be preached from every pulpit in the land.

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Be sure and hear it Jan. 7 .- Rev. E. O. Taylor. Go to Dr. Yant dentist while he is here to get the best dental work done. He will remain till he gets through

with his work. The Misses Woodcock returned to They had been visiting the Woodward

family several days. J. C. Walstad and Andy Rossi furnish music for the New Year dance at Attic to-night. They also played their last Wednesday.

Misses Myrtle and May Woodcock came over from Wellington last Thursday to spend the holiday week with the

family of H. T. Woodward. The trial of Henry Sevey vs. John Sparks took place before Justice Morris last Friday. The jury returned a

verdict in favor of the defendant. Mrs. Mahlon Woner and baby, who have been visiting with the family of Register of Deeds Smith, returned to her home at Wellington, Monday.

F. M. Shell and C. L. Bramwell re turned on Sunday. Mr. Shell from the Teacher's Association at Topeka and Mr. Bramwell from his holiday yisit at Concordia.

December had two moons, Mrs. Quimby prophesied, but the world still stands. Our delinquent subscribers will have one more chance to get into tints, surrounded by a gold frame, emthe ark of safety.

Mr. Taylor handles the theme from a scientific standpoint, and, being eloquent and witty as well as scientific, delights his audience.-Calumet Conglomerate, (Mich.)

J. B. Gano went to Topeka Monday on business. He will return by the way of Great Bend where Mrs. Gano will join him, she spending the holidays with relatives in that city.

W. are requested to be at lodge room Work in both degrees and installation. John Singer, recorder.

The Seven-Day Advents are holding forth at the Tadpole school house. Good evangelists are in charge and the interesting.

Wm. High, who resides in Sedgwick until Monday of this week. Mr. H. is a populist and was elected trustee of his township last fall.

Mrs. L. B. Gillette and son, of Mabooks of the Company. Don't Miss Penny, of Stanford, Kentuckey, rion, Kansas, and Mrs. R. S. Lytle and sisters, nephew and niece of Mrs. J. C. for \$9.480 will be made the scene of a month: Davis, came in on Monday to visit new industry in Kansas.

Muggs:-Say Muggins, what is the to which you are entitled. Eyery best Farm Paper I can take this year? Muggins:-Why, the Farm Record of course, and by the way you can get it free with the INDEX. Read their offer and see for yourself or call at their

> The Lyndon Journal wants a merchant with a \$10,000 stock of goods to and Arizona and its product takes the come to that city and get into business. All those of Medicine Lodge who wish to take advantage of this snap are requested to write to the Journal. Don't all write at once.

The next teachers association will be held at Medicine Lodge, the second Saturday in January. All teachers are expected to be present and take part in the exercises. All persons interested in education are kindly invited to

Hon. Jerry Simpson was initiated in the G. A. R. last Saturday night. We are told that he was equal to the occasion and that he conquered the goat without any extra effort on his part. The lodge is to be congratulated upon securing his membership.

We have made arrangements by which we can furnish the Topeka Daily Co Operator, populist, and the INDEX one year for the small sum of \$4. The price of the Co-Operator singly is \$4. Subscribe now and get two papers for the price of one.

E. E. Hagerman was down from Elm Mills the first of the week. He says be is enjoying good health and getting along nicely. His vacation from the Eim Mills school is very limited this term-four days. His term will close in two months from date.

At the meeting of the G. A. R. last Saturday night, Hon. Jerry Simpson was elected delegate to the State En campment with J. B. Romig alternate. Mr. Simpson just became a member on that night and his services as a dele gate were demanded by the veterans

John King, Canema, was in the city one day last week and renewed his subscription. A few weeks ago we received notice from the post master that Mr. King failed to call for his mail and we naturally supposed that he was among those who had bid adieu to old Barber, but we are glad to note the contrary.

by name, is keeping humanity constantly on terrorizing pegs by announcing the end of time. In last Thursday's Eagle she had it scheduled for Sunday, vival meetings at the College Hill the 29th, but for some reason best known to herself, the date was chang-

at Glasier & Co's., for less money than had by taking Chamberlain's Colic, produced marked results. The local Arthur Doll, a former resident here Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. In many instances the attack may be pre-Buy the Celebrated Crown Patent vented by taking this remedy as soon Hazelton flour of J. C. Davis. War- as the first symptoms of the disease apranted to be the BEST on the market. pear. 25 and 50 cents at J. R. Young

Miss Emma Spath, and it occurred at contained engravings of prominent barristers and officers of the district court at that place, among which was a purported likeness of Ed Sample. To get the joke back on the News, the Alva Review of last week publishes the portrait of Billy Bolton. We are now convinced that Hudson and Bolton are jealous rivals for the same feminine nalm.

George Moore came in on Christmas day (last Wednesday) to visit a few their home at Wellington on Monday. days with his parents. George is now likes his position and gets fair wages. Monday.

> The delegation of this city that atball at Lake City on Christmas night this is his first. reports an unusually large attendance. The hall was crowded and the pleasure of many was curtailed on this account. Shaw's orchestra didn't put in an appearance but good music was furnished by Bently and Buck brothers. All en- instance, Perry & Cameron, druggists, his daughter, Mrs. Epley, who resides joyed themselves notwithstanding the limited space alotted to each individual's bodily frame.

Our readers who have been looking tor Hood's Calendar for 1896 will be glad to know that it is out and may be obtained from the druggists or by sending 6 cents in stamps to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The new calendar is certainly a triumph of art. It represents a lovely head in beautiful brown bossed and decidedly "up to date." It makes a useful ornament for the home and a pleasant reminder of Hood's Sar-

saparilla. The Ideal Concert Company was greeted at the opera house last Friday night by a large audience. The company is all that is claimed for it and the complimentary press notices frequently given each member were neither flattering por exaggerated. To say which handled his or her part best is Members of Fidelity Lodge, A. O. U. beyond our ability, since all were as near perfect as any musician or elocupromptly at 7:30 Friday evening next. tionist we ever heard. We predict full houses for the company wherever it may make engagements. WE WELCOME THE INDUSTRY.

The Topeka State Journal of last Friday evening contained the followmeetings are reported as being very ing regarding the conversion of the sugar mill at this place into a tannic acid factory. We hope the scheme will pull DECEMBER 20, 1895 county, was a visitor at the home of H. T. Woodward from last Friday self supporting and successful. It Girls earolled would be a calamity to our city to lose the plant after having gone to so much Per cent.of attend... the plant after having gone to so much expense in procuring it. The Journal Neith'r abs't tardy

"There is a prospect that the old Medicine Lodge sugar plant which was

An organization of English capitalnsts is negotiating for the establish-ment with a view of operating it as a ment with a view of operating it as a canaigre plant for the manufacture of tannic acid. Almost all of the machinery used for the manufacture of sugar can be used and so the cost of new machinery will be small indeed.

Canaigre is a plant which grows only in New Mexico, southwestern Texas place of bark used in tanning hides. The syndicate which is trying to buy the plant has the entire control of the output and they have but one other plant and that is in Phoenix, Arizona. If the factory is sold to the Englishmen it will be worth about \$110,000, which is about what it cost. originally. Mr. E. B. Cowgill who bought the plant for Willson S. Dodge, says there is no doubt about the syndicate being in earnest and he thinks they will establish the second tannic acid plant in the world at Medicine Lodge."

## PROGRAM

A local teachers meeting will be held at Sharon Saturday evening January 4, 1896 at the Christian Chapel. An interesting program has been prepared as follows. All are invited to attend. Song-Sharon school.

Invocation-J. O. Habn. Song-Quartette, by district 49. Object of study-Anna M. Hahn. Discussion-Charles Eck. Declamation-Edua Eck History of the Country School-J. M. De Lieb Discussion-W. G. Gorma Primary Arithmetic-Zeila Thomas Discussion-Wm. Garrison. Declamation-Harry McGuire Spelling in the Country school-M. W. Short Discussion-Sam Robin Recitation by a pupil of Sharon school. Incentives to study-J. O. Lumpkin. Discussion-Metta Warren. Declamation-Claud Woollor Literature-Whittier-Mollie Starkey. Discussion-Mattie Ruie.

Declamation-A pupil of Sharen school.

Miscellany.

Song-Sharon School.

F. M. SHELL, Co. Supt.

A COURSE OF LECTURES. In view of the activity of resubmis sionists the state executive committee of the W. C. T. U. has invited Rev. E. O. Taylor of Chicago, to make a tour of the state, visiting the principal cit- urday. ies, presenting the sociological and scientific grounds on which prohibition is | P. Watts last Saturday. based, and as far as possible to educate the public sentment and stimulate in-That Wichita prophet, Mrs. Quimby | telligent action in favor of the enforcement of the prohibitory law.

Mr. Taylor has been a pastor in the Baptist denomination for twenty-five years, his last pastorate being in the city of Chicago covering a period of ten years duration, is an orator of national reputation and an expert sci-It will be an agreeable surprise to entist on the alcohol question. His gest a scrap with Great Britain so that persons subject to attacks of billious lectures delivered in Wisconsin, Min. our honor as a nation may be maindie to learn that prompt relief may be nesota, Iowa and the Dakotas, have tained. fortunate in securing him for two lec- married to Miss Nance on Christmas tures. A small admission fee will be day and is at home to his friends at the charged for the lecture which involves Pence hotel on main street in our city. a number of interesting chemical ex- Arthur is an industrious young man, periments, such as a scientific analysis and we wish them much joy in their of a glass of beer, likewise that of a wedded lite. Two weeks ago the Woodward News drinking man's breath, gun powder test of liquor and extracts, etc. A col- visiting in Harper city. lection will be taken at the close of the will be as follows:

Tuesday January 7th, "That boy of glass of beer analyzed." The meetings will be held in the opera house at 7:30.

We think we have a just cause in en tering a complaint against E. E. Hagemployed by the Rock Island railroad erman. On Monday, while in town, as cook for a force of workmen. He he called on us and was wearing a most pleasant smile, but he didn't say He returned on Sunday accompanied a word. Later we learned the cause of by his sister, Miss Ada. She will visit his pleasant countenance and we still with relatives in Caldwell until the feel like thumping him. A fine boy arschool vacation is ended which is next rived at his house on Sunday. Understand, reader, we don't complain because of E. E's. happiness, but because of his stubborn silence. However, we tended the Masonic Installation and can forgive when we remember that

their customers are their best friends. and taken pleasure in supplying them with the best goods obtainable. As an Flushing, Michigan. They say: "We in the Strip. have no hesitation in recommending to our customers Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as the best medicine we have ever sold, and always gives satisfaction." 25 and 50 cents, at J. R. Young Drug Co.

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SCHOOL REPORTS

REPORT OF SCHOOL

0 1 1 2 0 3 8 19 17 18 18 13 C. G. MESSERLEY, Principal.

Following is a list of pupils neither sold a day or two ago under foreclosure absent nor tardy during the past

Walter Cushenbery, Arthur Goddard, Jas. Hellings, Wm. Bankin. BOOM V. Burney Standiford Chester Updegraff Harry Burney, Edward Lewis,

Frances Gallagher Bessie McCoy, Bessie Jopes, Mattie Gallagher, Mildred McKeever Essie Lindley, Jetta Lewis, Charley Johnson Chester Martin, Case Stout. IVI MOOR

ROOM III. Roy Benedict, Griffey Clark, Winnie Durham, Jennie Flabburn, Una Holmes, Zeal Johnson, Bennie Kauffman, Herbert Lindley, John Martin,

Lee Martia,
Maud Rankin,
Cari Rankin,
Sammie Singer,
Luman Guy Singer,
Luna Smith,
Lawrence Stevens,
Ray Watkins,

Avis Axiine,
Pearl Funk,
Alice Fishburn,
May Freeman,
Frankie Lindley,
Mary McCoy,
Carrie Morris,
Rachel Nixon,
Walter Noble, Bithel Noble,
Mary Sinne,
Charlie Schmidt,
John Shannon,
Gertie Stevens,
Fred Watkins,
Alberta Cook,
Ilo Aldrich,
Frank Sinne. ROOM I.

Harry Alien,
Barney Bristow,
Frank Gilworth,
Schuyler Matthews,
Bert Singer,
Otto Southworth,
Pearl Matthews,
Pearl Matthews,

Report of College Hill school for month ending Dec. 27, 1895. Number of girls enrolled 19. Number of boys enrolled 12. Total enrollment 31.

Average attendance 27. Names of those not tardy: Lizzie Urton, Mary McGregor, Elmer Harris, Katie Wyre, Alice McGregor, Florence McGregor and John McGregor. Neither absent nor tardy: Artie Urton.

NELLIE MCGREGOR, Teacher.

The cold wave reached here Saturday evening but it is much warmer at pres-

The holiday week is enjoyed here in various ways and manners. Mr. J. T. Spicer and W. A. Maddox went up to Medicine Lodge on last Sat-

Arthur Maddox shelled corn for H.

Mr. and Mrs. Short were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doolittle, northeast of town last Friday. The corn market here is on the down-

ward slide. Our buyers are paying 14 cents per bushel. Our farmers are done gathering corn and the problem is, where is our profit this year? For a change we would sug-

W. C. T. U. of this place has been but now a land owner in the Strip was

Fred Wilson and sister, Miss Effle, are

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Short entertainother lecture to which every person ed a few of their friends on Christmas who hears the same will be expected to day as follows: Mr. and Mrs. C. F. contribute something. The lectures Ware and son, John Morgan and Miss Gass, Mrs. Sarah Burket, J. W. Burket and wife, Rev. John Burket, Jacob ment rate is in proportion to the yours." Wednesday, January 8th, "A Burket, Lizzie and May, Burket, Joseph Burket, Miss Auderson, Samuel Burket and Miss Hartzell.

There was a dance in town on the evening of the 25th inst. and supper was served at the Hotel de Pence. did not learn how many were in attend-

The Christmas entertainment on Luke. Christmas eve at the school house was fairly well attended. The music and recitations were good. The Arch presented a pretty appearance and was well loaded with candy and numerous other presents for the little tolks, and many little hearts were made glad. Many merchants are well aware that presents. While the presents were not earnest worker. We trust much good costly, yet they were appreciated by the has been done. recipients with hearty good will.

Grandpa Jones spent Christmas with

The social event of the season was an old fashioned taffy pulling and play party at J. T. Spicer's home on last Thursday evening. Several persons from a distance were in attendance. All report a jolly time.

Cristield Lodge No. 74 of the Knights and Ladies of the Fireside elected the following officers for the ensuing year, viz: G. T. Wilson, Pres.; C. F. Ware, treasurer; Mrs. Anderson, past Pres.; Rev. E. Watt, chaplain; M. W. Short, knight errant; W. M. Case, esquire; Henry Anderson, herald. Mrs. Short, Mrs. Cass and O.B. Cleveland, trustees. The officers will be installed at the first regular meeting in January.

W. H. Watkins, the station agent at Attica, and his wife and babies were pleasant callers in Crisfield last Friday afternoon.

Rev. Dyson will begin a protra meeting at the school house on next ALEBT.

L. A. Eby & Co. have had their large scales repaired and they are in good shape for weighing.

ELM MILLS ITEMS.

Your correspondent is still backing it, and don't like it very well either. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rackley made

a trip to Medicine Lodge last Thursday. Corn shuckers are very busy yet, on

account of which, some scholars are losing the longest end of the school Louis Frame and sons returned from

their trapping expedition. They re port game as pretty scarce. We are glad to state that Mrs. J. A McCoy is up and around again.

Mrs. E. C. Grigsby is visiting friends at Attica. J. A. McCoy came home for a few

days during the sickness of his wife His son, Frank, is herding the cattle in

The Amber school had a Christmas tree on Christmas eve.

Dance at Sawyer last Friday evening. W. B. Rackley came home just in the to eat Christmas turkey with his family. He will remain long enough to make a good visit.

Will Rauhut has just received a fine new tailor-made suit of clothes, and is planning a trip to Kingman, where he formerly lived, as soon as he can get off from work in the mill. Wonder what's up now. Looks kind o'suspicious like. We would like to give a word of caution to the young lady, if we guess rightly. [Received too late last week.]

E. C. Grigsby went to Pratt Center Monday.

Geo. Hawkins, of McAdoo, was shucking corn last week for Mrs. W. B. Rackley.

Sylvester Grigsby is visiting his brother, Dr. C. E. Grigsby at Spivey. He will, also, visit some friends at Attica before returning home.

Alex Means is up and around again. Elm Mills school will not have vaca-

tion this winter. Mrs. J. A. McCoy has been quite sick

Louis Frame and two sons are gone to the southern part of the county on week's trapping and hunting expedi-

Louis Frame's horse got a little gay a few days ago while he was returning home from Sawyer. The horse had got started in an unusually lively gait, and in an attempt to hold the horse in check, the line broke. The horse immediately started at full speed, and Mr. Frame took a safe leap. The horse turned down a by-road, but the single line becoming wrapped aroung the axle caused the horse to turn into a grape vine bush where Mr. Frame found him a little later. No damage was done out side the loss of a package of sugar and the bottom of the cart bed broken.

Mrs. Susie Hagerman is visiting her parents in Medicine Lodge, and now E. E. has to bach it.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

SHARON.

The Seyen-Day Adventists are holding a series of meetings in the Tadpole school house.

R.R. Froman recently from Medicine Lodge is doing the blacksmithing in M. Newland's shop. Mr. P. V. Lintel, of Harper, was at

Sharon a few days ago and on Monday evening the 23rd of December he organized a lodge of the order Knights and Ladies of the Fireside. I understand that there were about twenty persons received into the order as charter members. This order is similar to the A. O. U.W. but receives both men and women as members. Lodges are organized in much the same manner as all fraternal orders. The initiatory ceremonies and secret work are said to be very impressive and instructive. The life insurance policy is for five hundred or one thousand dollars as each member prefers and the assessamount of the policy. This is a new order. I am told the first lodges were

organized in 1894. For the next six months the International Sunday school lessons which are used in the various Sunday schools in this valley will all be in the New Testament and mostly in the book of

I noticed in the Wichita Eagle that one William Burke was captured in Wichita last week by one Doc. Root, while in the act of burglarizing the residence of one T. J. Rogers.

The meeting at the U. B. church closed on Sunday night for the present. Santa Claus made his appearance in Bro. Dyson has been the principal his happlest mood and distributed the speaker at these meetings and is an

> The chief cause of loss of cattle and horses this winter is attributed to corn stalks. In addition to losses formerly noted, Uncle Ben Lasswell has lost five cattle and three horses, Standiford Smart two horses, David Clough six horses and several head of cattle, John Kimball one horse, James B. Neal one horse, Lawrence Neal one horse, Frank McReynolds thirteen head of cattle.

On Sunday we visited at Uncle Benj. Lasswell's. We found him sitting up in a chair and able to converse but unable to get out of the house. He is very much emaciated weak and troubled with coughing. His daughter Anna and her busband John Bawman have gone to the Cheyenne country where they intend to pass a couple of weeks visiting her brothers.

day the mercury was slightly above the freezing point.

On Saturday Dawson Brown sold some corn at Sharon for 14 cents which is slightly under what corn sold for a few days ago. 1. Vandiyeer is recovering from his injuries. He does not use his arm yet

but is bealing nicely.

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